## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION,

Plaintiff-Applicant,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC, and Bernard L. Madoff,

Plaintiff,

v.

RAFAEL MAYER, DAVID MAYER,
MONTPELLIER INTERNATIONAL LTD.,
PRINCE ASSETS LTD. (f/k/a PRINCE ASSETS LDC), KHRONOS GROUP LTD. (f/k/a
MONTPELLIER RESOURCES LTD.), PRINCE
RESOURCES LDC, MONTPELLIER USA
HOLDINGS LLC, PRINCE CAPITAL
PARTNERS LLC, and KHRONOS LIQUID
OPPORTUNITIES FUND LTD.

Defendants.

Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (CGM)

SIPA Liquidation

(Substantively Consolidated)

Adv. Pro. No. 20-01316 (CGM)

ORDER DENYING
DEFENDANT DAVID MAYER'S MOTION TO DISMISS

WHEREAS, Irving H. Picard (the "Trustee") is the trustee for the liquidation of the business of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78aaa–*lll*, and the substantively consolidated chapter 7 estate of Bernard L. Madoff in the above-captioned adversary proceeding (the "Adversary Proceeding");

WHEREAS, on November 11, 2020, the Trustee filed a complaint (ECF No. 1) (the "Complaint") in the Adversary Proceeding asserting claims against defendants Rafael Mayer, David Mayer, Montpellier International Ltd., Prince Assets Ltd. (f/k/a Prince Assets LDC), Khronos Group Ltd. (f/k/a Montpellier Resources Ltd.), Prince Resources LDC, Montpellier USA Holdings LLC, Prince Capital Partners LLC, and Khronos Liquid Opportunities Fund Ltd.;

**WHEREAS**, this cause having come before this Court on the March 2, 2021 motion of defendant David Mayer ("Defendant") seeking entry of an order granting Defendant's Motion to Dismiss the Complaint (ECF No. 25) (collectively, the "Motion");

WHEREAS, the Court having considered the Memorandum of Law in Support of Defendant's Motion (ECF No. 26), the Declaration of Alexander James Kenneth Potts QC in support of Defendant's Motion (ECF No. 26-1), the Trustee's Memorandum of Law in Opposition to Defendant's Motion (ECF No. 42), the Declaration of Jason S. Oliver (ECF No. 43) and its accompanying exhibits (ECF Nos. 43-1 - 43-6), and Defendant's Reply Memorandum of Law in support of Defendant's Motion (ECF No. 53);

**WHEREAS**, on September 15, 2021, the Court heard oral argument on Defendant's Motion; and

WHEREAS, on October 27, 2021, the Court issued a Memorandum Decision Denying Motions to Dismiss (ECF No. 99), which is incorporated herein and made a part hereof, denying Defendant's Motion;

## NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that:

Defendant's Motion is **DENIED**, and it is further

**ORDERED** that Defendant shall file an answer to the Complaint on or before January 10, 2022.

Dated: November 10, 2021 Poughkeepsie, New York



/s/ Cecelia G. Morris

Hon. Cecelia G. Morris Chief U.S. Bankruptcy Judge